HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____ Introduced by: Hasler

A RESOLUTION urging the establishment of an interim study committee to determine possible funding sources for state and local geographic information systems (GIS).

Whereas, A geographic information system (GIS) is an information system that is designed to work with data referenced by spatial or geographic coordinates;

Whereas, A GIS helps people better understand a specific place;

Whereas, For example, a GIS could be used to determine the best location for a new store and analyzing environmental

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damage or similar crimes in a city to detect a pattern; and

Whereas, GIS can prove to be extremely valuable to the state of Indiana, and sources of funding should be found to establish and maintain state and local geographic information systems: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

| SECTION 1. That the Legislative Council is urged to establish | a |
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| committee to determine possible funding sources for state and local | ıl |
| geographic information systems (GIS). | |

SECTION 2. That the committee, if established, shall operate under the direction of the Legislative Council and that the committee shall issue a final report when directed to do so by the council.



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